SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 691 By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kara Lea Youngblood, 2006 Valedictorian of Warren County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kara Lea Youngblood is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2006 graduating class at Warren County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Kara Youngblood has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Youngblood has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Kara Youngblood was named to the National Honor Roll, listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, and received the Sara Greer Academic Award; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Youngblood volunteers her time and many talents with the Student Council, the Student Advisory Committee, the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Aspire, the Future Farmers of America, the Red Cross, and the Learn to Swim program; she has also served as Student Body Vice President and Secretary; and

WHEREAS, a tremendous athlete, Kara Youngblood played on the Warren County High School girls' varsity volleyball team; and

WHEREAS, Kara Youngblood's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Kara Youngblood plans to attend Middle Tennessee State University in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Youngblood's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Randy and Pam Youngblood, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Youngblood's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Warren County High School Valedictorian, Kara Lea Youngblood, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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